

## **PATENT APPLICATION**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yasunao MIURA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1731

Application No.:

10/045,083

Examiner:

J. HOFFMANN

Filed: January 15, 2002

Docket No.: 111674

For:

METHOD OF FABRICATING HONEYCOMB BODY AND DRYING SYSTEM

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the November 22, 2005, Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.